

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMANS UNDER U. S. AUTHORITY

With the Americans in Prussia, Dec. 4.—(Night)—Several hundred thousand Germans are now under American authority. They are accepting the situation with remarkable questions and complacency and are not finding this authority onerous. Astonishment is often expressed at the Americans lack of harshness and their policy of non-interference. Normal life is going on in the occupied towns and the peasants are plowing the fields as the troops march past. Factories are humming with activity. Hundreds of discharged German soldiers are passing through the American lines. I recently saw some of these men still in their uniforms working in the fields.

The Americans are gradually taking over supervision of the telephone and postal service. American trains carrying supplies are arriving at Treves, which is now generally referred to under its French name of Trier. This traffic does not interfere with regular passenger trains.

Under the terms of the armistice, Germany will pay the expenses of the third army. The Americans, therefore, are giving receipts for all requisitions and billets which will be collected from the German government. The burgomasters of the villages are co-operating in assigning billets.

Decrees have been issued, ordering the surrender of all arms and all munitions. The people in some towns have already turned over their gun and receipts have been given them.

Corn and division headquarters are generally established in school houses or other public buildings. The only untoward incident recently reported occurred today when some school children in the village of Scheich, threw decayed vegetables at American officers. The latter ignored the affair.

The most advanced elements of the Third army have occupied the towns of Wittlich, Frensdorf and Zellinger.

MILITARY NEEDS OF AMERICA TO AWAIT RESULT OF PEACE PARLEY

Washington, Dec. 5.—America's military needs and policy will wait upon determination of international relations by the Paris peace conference.

Secretary of War Baker's annual report, published today, held this course to be necessary though he advised that the years' experiences have strengthened his view "That the draft was a swift effective and accurate of securing the military strength necessary for the conduct of a great war."

Baker advocated special schools to supplement West Point and pointed to the country's need for special training in aircraft, chemical warfare, statistics and transportation.

Attached to Baker's message was a report of General Pershing in which he declared the deeds of American officers and men were "immortal."

While saying all credit was due to American manufacturers for their work, Pershing points out that he had to rely on the French for tanks and for much airplane material and artillery.

THREE SHIPS ON WAY TO AMERICA WITH U. S. SOLDIERS

Paris, Dec. 5.—In addition to the Empress of Britain and Adriatic, sailing for New York with American soldiers aboard the Canonic has left Liverpool for Boston with forty officers and 1,052 men of air service, it was officially announced today.

The Empress of Britain is carrying six aero squadrons, comprising twenty officers and 850 men; four air service construction companies of 24 officers and 925 men and about 400 sick and wounded, with attendant nurses, medical officers and men. Aboard the Adriatic are seven aero squadrons, totaling 27 officers and 976 men and five air service construction companies, comprising 21 officers and 1,214 men.

SENATE WILL NOT SEND DELEGATION

Washington, Dec. 5.—The senate foreign relations committee today killed the Cummins resolution for a senatorial committee of eight to attend the peace conference.

BROTHER HENRY TO STAND BY KAISER

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—Prince Henry, brother of the kaiser, has issued a proclamation stating that the "eldest Hohenzollern" has left Prussia, and that it is therefore incumbent upon him to do everything possible to assist the lawfully elected government.

"At the same time," the proclamation concluded, "it is my duty to stand by the kaiser and protect him from harm."

ALL REPORTED WELL WITH PEACE FLEET

Washington, Dec. 5.—The navy department was in constant wireless communication today with the presidential ship, George Washington, and her convoy.

Just before 10 a. m., the department stated that all was well with the peace fleet.

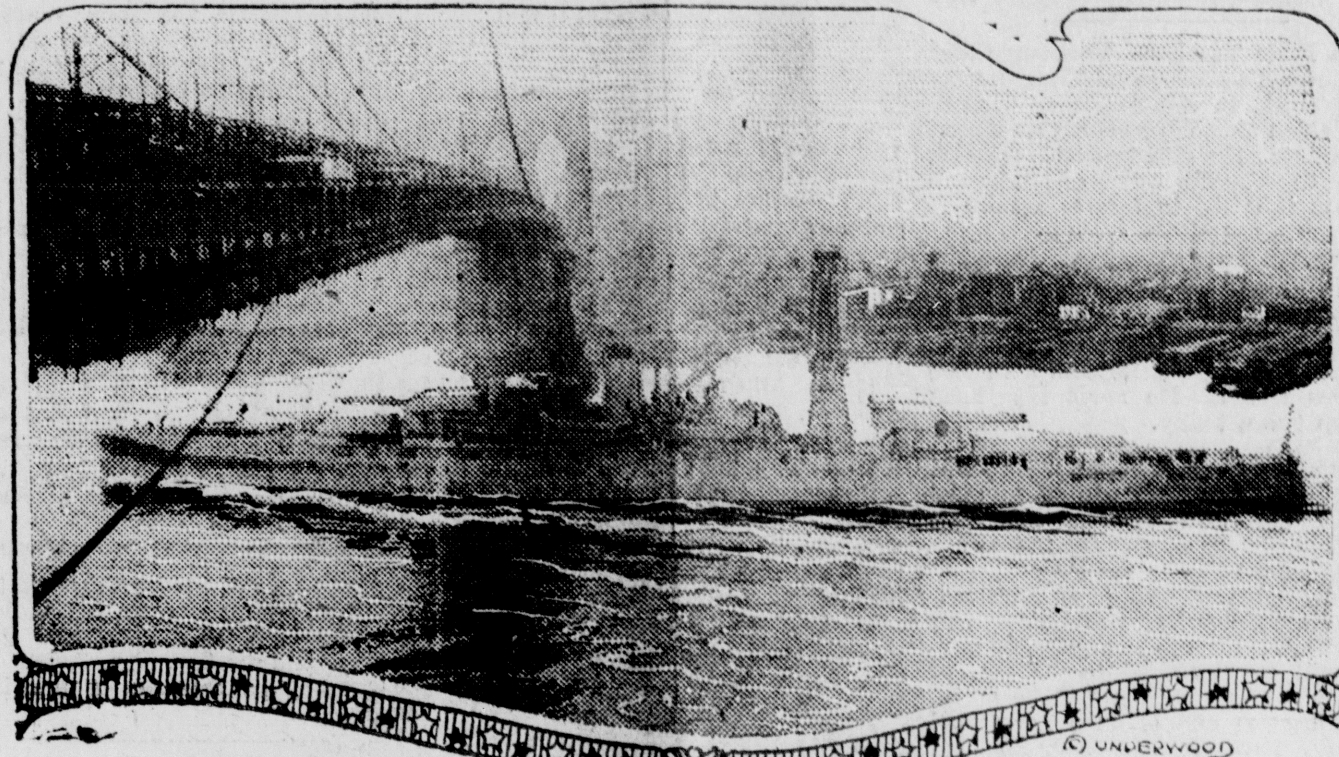
No definite report of position was made at that hour.

ARMISTICE WILL BE EXTENDED

London, Dec. 5.—The Evening Standard says it understands the armistice will be extended.

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SALE DATES RESERVED
Dec. 12—H. F. Fisher.
Dec. 15—Wm. N. Rohrbaugh.
Dec. 16—Paul James.
Feb. 20—L. B. Stingley.

HEADS CONVOY FOR SHIP CARRYING WILSON TO FRANCE



U. S. battleship Pennsylvania passing beneath the Brooklyn bridge outward bound.

The liner George Washington, which is carrying President Wilson and the other delegates to the peace conference in France, is being convoyed, according to dispatches, by the U. S. battleship Pennsylvania and a fleet of torpedo boat destroyers. The Pennsylvania is one of the most formidable ships of the navy. She carries twelve 14-inch guns and twenty-two 5-inch guns, four 3-pounders and four 21-inch torpedo tubes. She has a speed of twenty-one knots.

BELGIAN TROOPS ARE ONLY FIFTEEN MILES FROM RHINE

Havre, Dec. 5.—Belgian troops have approached to within 15 miles of the Rhine, it was indicated in the Belgian official communiqué today.

"We have occupied Heud," the communiqué said.

"A light detachment has entered Odenkirchen."

Odenkirchen is an important town 15 miles southwest of Dusseldorf, and 25 miles northwest of Cologne.

GREAT BRITAIN WILL MAINTAIN SEA SUPREMACY

London, Dec. 5.—Winston Churchill, minister of munitions, speaking at Dundee, declared that Great Britain is determined to maintain its naval supremacy.

"We shall enter the peace conference with the absolute determination that no limitation shall be imposed on our right to main naval defenses," he said.

"No matter what appeals are addressed to us, we do not intend to lend ourselves in any way to restrictions which will prevent the navy from maintaining its well deserved superiority on the seas."

In regard to internal affairs, Churchill said:

"The government has decided upon nationalization of the railways, but has not yet decided regarding nationalization of shipping which is a complex question."

WILL INVITE FOCH TO VISIT THE U. S.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Marshal Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied armies, will be invited to visit the United States, if a resolution prepared by a member of the senate is adopted.

GLASS NOMINATED FOR U. S. TREASURER

Washington, Dec. 5.—Nomination of Carter Glass, of Virginia, to be secretary of the treasury, was sent to the senate today by the White House.

DRASTIC CHANGES OF CRIMINAL CODE OF UNITED STATES NEEDED

Washington, Dec. 4.—Drastic and sweeping changes in the United States criminal code were recommended today by Attorney General Gregory, in his annual report of the department of justice.

The need of these changes, Gregory said, were shown glaringly in the war activities of the department, and most of them are needed whether the nation is at war or peace.

The department, the report explains, has faced the greatest task in its history in the last 18 months. It was forced, he explained, by the general language and indefiniteness of laws, to determine hundreds of times the dividing line between honest criticism and insidious and malicious statements directed at hampering the nation in its war work.

"Enemy propaganda," Gregory reports, "reached its height early in the fall of 1917, decreasing thereafter until at present it is negligible."

In handling local cases of sporadic propaganda or seditious utterances, the department was badly handicapped by "self appointed committees or associations of citizens, who ignorant or dissatisfied with the federal laws, sought to supplement them by extralegal measures," the report states.

The reports of hundreds of cases, "the work of enemy forces, which were utterly without foundation, hampered the work of the department."

An increasing number of cases are coming before the department, based on agitation of itinerant speakers, Gregory said. To eliminate embarrassment, orders have been given that espionage cases no longer may go to the grand juries direct.

The evidence must first be viewed by Washington officials because of the varied interpretations of the law.

FOLLOWERS OF KAISER DEFEAT REVOLUTIONISTS

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—Serious fighting has occurred in Kreuznach, in which revolutionists were defeated by army officers, it was reported here today.

Officers forced the revolutionists at the point of pistols, to haul down the red flag. Following the removal of their wounded, the officers cheered the former kaiser.

Kreuznach is on the Naar river, eight miles south of the bend in the Rhine at Bingen. It is territory to be occupied by the French under the terms of the armistice and is only 18 miles south of Kaub which is expected to be the southern point of the American bridgehead. Kreuznach is an important manufacturing center. It has a population of about 25,000.

NAVY WANTS TO CONTROL WIRELESS IN PEACE TIMES

Washington, Dec. 5.—Government monopoly of all wireless in the United States and its possessions, was advocated by Secretary of the Navy Daniels, today.

Washington, Dec. 5.—A big battle for navy control of wireless plants in peace time, is about to open.

Hearings will start Dec. 12, before the house merchant marine committee on a bill to take over all stations.

The fight lies largely between the navy department and the American Marconi company.

But behind the American company apparently stands the British Marconi company subsidized by the British government.

The American Marconi company has sold the navy its ship-to-shore stations, but retains its grasp on four high powered stations. Two of these on the Atlantic have not been used, but apparently are part of a plan to create a wireless link between England and the U. S. so as to join up with wireless to the far east. The navy has also purchased the Saville wireless station from the alien property custodian.

WILL CONTINUE COLUMBUS, DEC. 5.—Ohio food and fuel administrations will continue their organizations until peace is proclaimed on agitation of the federal secretaries of the treasury, was sent to the senate today by the White House.

PLANS COMPLETE TO BOMB BERLIN WHEN ARMISTICE SIGNED

New York, December 5.—Berlin was to have been bombed by a squadron of from eight to twelve super-Handley-Page and de-Havilland 10 airplanes on the night of November 11, the date of the signing of the armistice, according to a number of American aviators who returned on the transport Lapland.

Forty fliers of the new and powerful aircraft had been preparing for weeks at Ford Junction, Sussex, on the English Channel, to attack the German capital by means of the machines, which had never been used at the front, but had been put to the severest tests.

Eighteen of the aviators came home today and the remainder are still in England. All of them had been trained in this country for the particular purpose of attacking interior German cities.

According to their story all plans had been made for dropping tons of T. N. T. on Berlin. The distance from Ford Junction to the German capital is about 500 miles.

Each Handley-Page machine had 176 feet of wing spread and carried, beside five machine guns and a ton of explosive, a crew of five men, two pilots, a navigating officer and two mechanics, who also were machine gunners.

PANKHURST AMONG THE CANDIDATES

London, Dec. 5.—Sixteen women, including Christabel Pankhurst, have been nominated as candidates in parliament in the general elections.

The labor party has put up, 350 candidates, which is the biggest effort made in its history.

The 107 candidates who are unopposed and therefore elected, include 11 laborites and 25 Sinn Feiners. The latter had seven members in the former house of commons.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH PRESIDENT

Washington, Dec. 5.—The capitol was presidentless today, but through the Arlington wireless, the government maintained communication with the George Washington, carrying the chief executive to the Paris peace conference.

KING ALBERT IS NOW IN PARIS

Paris, Dec. 5.—King Albert of Belgium and his party arrived here today.

STRIKERS TO VOTE.

Cleveland, Dec. 5.—Members of the street carmen's union were called to meet at one p. m., today, to vote on returning to work under agreements reached by the heads of the Cleveland Railway company and the city officials, during the night.

National President Mahon and Local Secretary Rea of the union, predicted the men would be operating.

ANOTHER TRANSPORT ARRIVES.

New York, Dec. 5.—The transport Odra, with 1,672 troops, two Y. M. C. A. men and 150 officers, arrived here today. The Odra left England ahead of the Lapland and Minnekahda, which arrived yesterday but took a different course because severe weather was encountered. One soldier died of pneumonia on the way over.

LENINE CASTS SOAP BOX IDEALS INTO DISCARD

Washington, Dec. 5.—Lenine casting overboard ideals of his soap box days—has come out for extreme protectionism to make Russia a strong industrial nation, semi-official diplomatic advices stated here today.

Attempts to flood Russia with agricultural machinery, railway equipment, textiles, leather and clothing, will be fought by the soviet government, it is stated. Russia's infant industries must be protected, the Bolshevik leaders have decreed.

Lenine and his advisers have determined upon a protectionist policy as thorough as that of the former Czar.

Summarized, the soviet foreign trade policy as outlined in advices received here, follows:

1. Import of articles in general use, including boots and shoes, must be restricted.
 2. Importation of luxuries must be forbidden. Import of foodstuffs to be permitted temporarily.
 3. Agricultural machinery must be safeguarded as most industries connected with agriculture, textiles, leather and timber.
 4. Exports in raw materials must be reduced and exports of manufactured goods increased.
- This latest policy of Lenine is the same as that attempted by the late finance minister of the Czar, Count Witte, who attempted, at all costs to create a national industry for Russia.

CZAR AND FAMILY KILLED IN CELLAR BY THE BOLSHEVIK

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—A new version of the death of the former Czar and his family is published in newspapers arriving here from Kiev, which quote the former Czar's valet:

"October 19, the entire family was taken into the cellar of the convent at Ekaterinburg, and shot, one by one," the former valet is quoted as saying. The Czar is reported to have lapsed in his arms the Czaritzza, who was ill when she was executed. The Grand Duchess Tatiana was only wounded by the rifle shot, and was done to death with the butts of the Bolshevik guns. The corpses were buried at the outskirts of the town.

"The Grand Dukes John, Igor and Zeigius were murdered at Perm."

KELLY GETS REPRIMAND

New York, Dec. 5.—It was Lt. Fred Kelley, former crack hurdler of the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, who "zoomed" and volunteered over President Wilson's head as he stood on the bridge of the George Washington, just before leaving for the peace conference, it developed today.

Kelley has been ordered to remain two weeks on post at Hazelhurst because of his reckless aerial capers.

ENGLISH WOMAN RUNS FOR PARLIAMENT; SHE CONTESTS FORMER PREMIER'S SEAT



Mrs. George E. Hope.

Asquith's seat in parliament is being contested by a Mrs. George E. Hope. Mrs. Hope is the widow of the late Lieut. George E. Hope, who was killed in the present war. She is running independent for the seat from Fife. One of the planks of her platform is the demand that the late kaiser be brought to England for trial for murder. The photograph shows Mrs. Hope in the uniform of a war nurse. Like most noted English women, she has devoted much of her time to nursing.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Chame Holton of West Main street, who has been confined to her home, suffering with influenza, is showing a little improvement.

Wanted—Reliable man, to represent Metropolitan Life in Xenia. Good salary and commission. Address Mr. Goings, at Grand Hotel.

Johnson's Freeze Proof protects your radiator. Does not evaporate. Chas. S. Johnson, 17 Green street. 12-6 adv

Funeral services for Charles E. Cline, will be held at the home, 512 West Second street, Friday, at 2:30.

Clarence Chatfield, who has been at Camp Taylor, received his honorable discharge from the army, Wednesday, and arrived at his home in this city, Wednesday night. He expects to take a short vacation before returning to work. He gained considerable weight while in the army and enjoyed his army experience very much.

Wanted—Licensed fireman for night watchman. Apply American Cigar Co., Xenia Stemmy. 12-6

Mrs. Zella Mason of East Second street is confined to her home, suffering with influenza.

WEATHER REPORT

Cloudy tonight and Friday, probably rain north and central portions, warmer tonight, cooler Friday west portion.

Miss Opal Barnes, a teacher in the McKinley Junior High School, is seriously ill of pneumonia, from which she has been suffering since last Saturday. Her condition was thought to be a little improved Thursday. Mrs. Donohoo, wife of Prof. Donohoo, principal of McKinley High School, has been very seriously ill of the malady.

The house on North Galloway street belonging to the estate of Lydia J. Dean will be sold at public auction at the west door of the court house on Saturday December 7 at 10 a. m. This is a choice cottage home on a good location. If interested see Mabel Matthews and Clarence Dean, administrators or Miller & Finley, attorneys. wed-thur-fri

The same waiter who served the former kaiser and kaiserin is serving the President and his wife in the same suite.

The administrators of Lydia J. Dean will sell a choice house and lot on N. Galloway street, at public auction on Saturday, December 7 at 10 a. m. Sale will be held at west door of the court house. wed-thur-fri

Charles Mitchener, of West Church street, a lineman for the Central Union Telephone Company, is suffering from a severely crushed great toe on his left foot. The iron covering over a manhole leading to the conduits of the telephone company, fell on the toe while he was at work at the manhole, Wednesday. Dr. DeHaven gave surgical attention.

Public Sale—Household goods and kitchen furniture, 231 West Church street, Saturday, Dec. 7th, at 1 o'clock prompt. Ed Sessler, auctioneer. adv12-5

Alfred Marshall, former Xenia boy, has the honor of being in the convey of war vessels which is taking across the ocean, the steamship George Washington, carrying President Wilson and his party to France. Marshall is a sailor aboard the Pennsylvania which heads the convoy.

Mrs. Charles Lackey and daughter, Miss Daisy, are confined to their home on the lower Bellbrook pike, with influenza and tonsillitis.

John Kendrick Bangs, the noted humorist, lectures in the Cedarville opera house, Friday night, Dec. 6. Admission 50c.

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Mrs. Harold Fetz, who has been in Springfield, Mass., for several months with her husband, who is in the quartermasters' service, arrived in Xenia, Thursday morning and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kildow, of the Hawkins road. Sergeant Fetz was transferred to Boston, this week.

For Rent—Two living rooms suitable for single man. Running water and toilet adjoining. Call at the Gazette office. 12-6

The Bible Teachers' Training Class will meet this evening, Thursday at 7:30 o'clock, in the Seminary Chapel. The lesson for the evening is found in Genesis, the forty-first chapter verses 33:45. The order of study will be that followed in former meetings.

GET IT AT DONGES. adv

City Fireman Chas. Mahanna is convalescing from a very serious attack of influenza, which kept him in bed for two weeks. He made his first trip up town, today.

Johnson's Freeze Proof does not evaporate. One application for the winter. Charles S. Johnson, 17 Green street. 12-6 adv

Next Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock, Dr. M. G. Kyle, of Xenia Seminary, will speak at the Friends church. His subject will be "The Store Cities of Pithom." His address will be of intense interest and of deep devotional value. All are invited to hear him.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Wm. Bass and family wish to extend their thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and death of her daughter and sister, Miss Emma Bass.

DOCTORS TAKE ACTION ABOUT THE CITY WATER

Resolutions asking that the Xenia Water Company be enjoined from collecting any portion of its water rents so long as water below the normal health standard is being furnished to the people were passed by the Greene County Medical Association at a meeting which was held in the Business Men's Club Thursday afternoon.

The resolution was signed by the doctors present, and copies will be presented to the Water Company, and City Manager Riddle.

The resolution follows: Whereas: The conscientious physician is the natural guardian and conservator of the public health, the Greene County Medical Society has always stood for proper sanitation and the enforcement of all just health laws and the protection of the people from ravaging disease and epidemics.

And Whereas: The residents of our city are absolutely at the mercy of the Xenia Water Company, all other available sources of water supply have either been condemned or abandoned. The Local and State Boards of Health have, after careful investigation, pronounced the water in the reservoir on the Springfield pike, which supplies Xenia Water Company with a portion of the water that is used by the people of Xenia, as being infected with germs detrimental to public health, and also being the source of the infection that caused a recent epidemic of typhoid fever in this city, and ordering the abandonment of this source of supply at once.

Up to the present time these just demands have been ignored by the Water Company. The only thing being done is to increase the quantity and quality of the germicide in use for purification thus illogically endeavoring to purify the fountain by medicating the stream. A milkman who would presume to sell infected milk that had been doctored with germicides or formaldehyde, would be punished under the criminal laws. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the consensus of opinion of this body in regular session assembled, that the drinking of medicated, adulterated, boiled or infected water is not conducive to public health or physical welfare and is a source of much inconvenience, and danger to health and life. We are filled with grave apprehension for the future, and are constrained to ask that the local and the state board of health grant the water company a reasonable time to correct the condition and furnish the city with healthful water, failing to accede to these reasonable demands, that they be enjoined from collecting any portion of their water rents so long as water below the normal health standard is being furnished to our people. Our water for some consumption should be purified in the fountain, and not after it has entered and polluted the water pipes and mains as well as our cooking utensils and stomachs.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the Water Company, and to the City Manager of Xenia.

Dr. Clarence Lindsay read a very interesting paper at the meeting on the subject of tuberculosis, its diagnosis and treatment.

Officers were elected by the Medical Association as follows: President, Dr. M. I. Marsh, Cedarville; vice president, Dr. Raged Madden; secretary and treasurer, Dr. H. C. Messenger. Censors, Dr. George Davis, Dr. Paul D. Espey and Dr. Hartinger, of Springfield Valley, Dr. Lackey, of Jamestown, was elected delegate to the state convention, and R. K. Finley was named as his alternate.

Still a Chance.

"I thought I was the most unpopular man in this club, but they say Pillsbury over there can beat me." "But, my dear fellow, he has been a member longer than you have. Don't be discouraged."—Life.

PROVED SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY

To the voluntary service and sacrifice of the American people must be attributed the continued health, strength and morale of the Allied armies and the civil populace.

Upon this spirit of service and sacrifice will depend Europe's fate in the months to come. In the past year we have carried out an export program, the magnitude of which is almost beyond comprehension. But with the new demands that have come, with the liberation of nations freed from German oppression, our exports must be almost doubled. Instead of 11,820,000 tons, we must ship twenty million tons of food to Europe in the coming year—as much as can be pushed through our ports.

If the Allies had not been fed by America, it would have been impossible for them to maintain their defense against Germany.

Meeting this world need on a purely voluntary basis, the American people have conclusively proved that democracy is a success, and that in time of need it will rise to its own defense. If there were no other accomplishment to its credit the very fact that it has shown the strength of democracy has in itself more than justified the existence of the Food Administration in the eyes of the world.

Less than four months after the United States declared war the United States Food Administrator expressed his determination to meet America's food problem on a basis of voluntary action and reiterated his confidence that awakened democracy would prove irresistible.

"Many thinking Americans," said Mr. Hoover, "and the whole world have been watching anxiously the last four months in the fear that democratic America could not organize to meet autocratic Germany. Germany has been confident that it could not be done. Contrary proof is immediately at our door, and our people have already demonstrated their ability to mobilize, organize, endure and prepare voluntarily and efficiently in many directions and upon the mere word of inspiration aside from the remarkable assemblage of our Army and finances." The history of the Food Administration has clearly shown that the trust of those who put their faith in democracy has not been misplaced.



A VETERAN SOLDIER.
Won't you give a veteran something to eat, Lady?
You, a veteran? You were never a soldier.
Lady, you do me an injustice. I have done nothing but soldier all my life.

Derivation of "Major"

Major, like mayor, is from the Latin word major, greater, the comparative of magnus, great. The French for the same adjective is majeure, the Italian maggiore; mayor, by the way, is the Spanish form. A major is "greater" than a captain, but less than a lieutenant colonel. He is the lowest of all officers.



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CLARENCE JACOBS DIES OF PNEUMONIA

After one week's illness of influenza and pneumonia, Clarence A. Jacobs died at 3 o'clock, Thursday morning, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jacobs, on the Union road.

Mr. Jacobs was 35 years old, and lived in Xenia for four years, but recently had been engaged in war work at the Dayton Recording and Computing Scales factory.

He is survived by his widow, who was before marriage Miss Lelia Fudge, a son, Charles Walter, and his parents.

He was a member of the Christian church. Funeral plans have not been made.

NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

—The sale of used articles that was to have been given by the ladies of the Episcopal church, at the Parish House, on Saturday, Dec. 7, has been postponed, on account of the influenza.

—Trinity choir practice, Friday evening, at 7 o'clock. Every member is expected to be present, to rehearse Christmas music.

—Daughters of Veterans' meeting, Friday, Dec. 6th. Election of officers. Initiation. Refreshments. Members urged to come. Fund for hospital bed in France due.

—The Red Cross work rooms will not be opened Friday, but will be open at the regular times next week, owing to the large quotas which have been received from the Cleveland headquarters.

—Mothers' Circle of Spring Hill will meet Friday, Dec. 6th at 3:30 o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

DID HE HAVE GASTRITIS OR CONSUMPTION?

Doctors didn't know. Anyway, Mr. Baker is well now. Feels like he did at sixteen.

"One year ago in September I was taken down; couldn't eat, sleep or work. The doctors didn't know exactly what was the matter. Some said I had catarrhal gastritis, some said consumption, and others, cancer. Anyway, I was given up to die."

"A friend persuaded me to try Milks Emulsion. In 2 or 3 weeks, the soreness went out of my lungs, the aching pains vanished from between my shoulders, and I began to eat and sleep, and work a little. Also the miserable long-some feeling began to tear loose, and that heavy weight in the left side of my stomach, that hung like a huge iron ball, disappeared."

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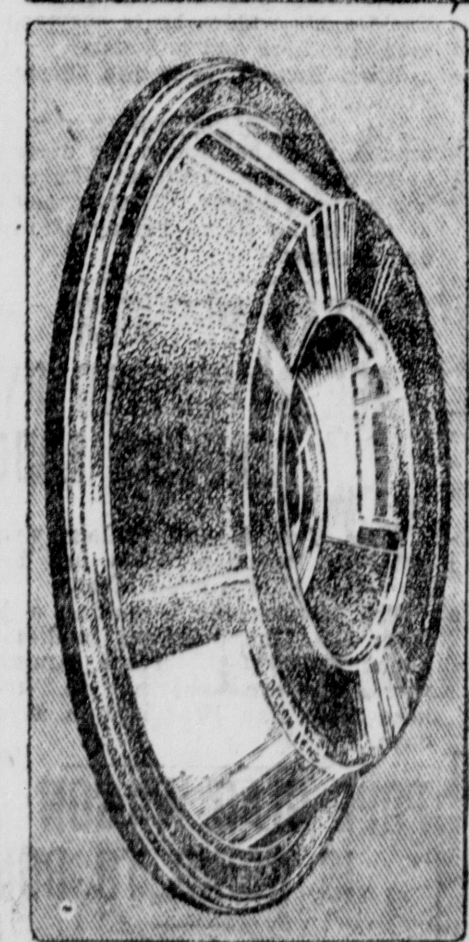
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INFLUENZA IS PREVALENT IN A MILD FORM

While influenza is spreading rapidly, particularly among children, Dr. R. H. Grube, city health officer, says that it is present chiefly in a mild form, and that there is no cause for alarm.

Of 238 children who were absent from the public schools when a census of the situation was taken Tuesday by direction of Superintendent John R. Jatterson, it is estimated that only about one half of this number is suffering from influenza. The rest have been kept out of school by their parents through fear of the malady, or they are ill of some other ailment.

Superintendent Patterson said Thursday that from 85 to 90 per cent of the children have been in school right along, and that while such a percentage is well and able to be in classes, he sees no necessity for closing the schools. There are 1,730 children in the public schools, and about 200 in the parochial school.

There are some cases of pneumonia developing from influenza, but the number of pneumonia cases is very low.

All doctors report a great increase in the number of influenza cases. In dozens of instances whole families are down in bed at the same time. Five members of the family of Fred Hornick are ill of the malady. Mrs. Ben Folek and her four children in the Moorland are ill. Three children of David Mangan of Home Avenue are ill. The three children of Mr. and Mrs. Minor Monroe are convalescing from the malady. Five members of the family of James Richards are victims of the epidemic. There are any number of similar cases about the city.

Would You Believe It?

A scientist in Europe has figured that a particle of water evaporated from the ocean is condensed and returns again in ten days, but that it remains there 3,400 years before being evaporated again.

AUTO CONVENTION HELD AT AKRON

The coming convention of the Ohio Auto Trade Association at Akron, December 5th and 6th, promises to be of the greatest importance to the automobile trades. The problems of reconstruction are now upon us, and they are as serious and as important as the war problems.

In every bureau there is more or less uncertainty as to just what will happen now that the war is over, and the vast industrial establishments voted to war work will have to turn their efforts in another channel. Will business be good? Will there be a temporary let down, and if so, how long will it last? What readjustments will be necessary, due to changed conditions? Should we make preparations for a much larger business than ever, or should we go easy and fell our way along?

The automobile trades will have all these problems and many more to solve in the coming months, and these questions will be the main topics for discussion at the Akron convention.

EAST END NEWS

Miss Eva B. Leach is confined in doors with the grip.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers is sick in bed with the grip.

Mrs. W. O. Rickman is a grip patient and confined to her bed.

Mrs. J. S. Ferguson is ill with the grip.

Miss Garretta E. Lane is on the sick list with the grip.

Jabin Temple will meet tonight at 7 o'clock. All members please be present.

Choir rehearsal in B. Y. P. U. room at Zion Baptist church tonight at 7:30. The pastor of Zion requests that all members who are behind in the church dues please pay up as Sunday is our rally day. Dear members you have done remarkably well this year, under the new system. Please see the collector and settle your account.

Mrs. J. E. Davis, of Cleveland, O., has been visiting friends, Elder C. E. Duett and wife, of 626 1-2 E. Main St. She will leave for home Sunday.

DIES ON NIGHT SHE WAS TO HAVE WED LOYD LANE

Miss Eva Garrett died at the home of her brother, James Garrett, on East Second street, last night about nine o'clock. Her death was sudden, and unexpected as she was to have been married last night to Mr. Loyd Lane. The license had been obtained earlier in the week. She was found in a semi-conscious state about supper time and gradually grew worse until the end. She was born near Xenia, July 10, 1892, and was 26 years old. She was a member of the Baptist church of Jamestown, Ohio. She leaves a mother, Mrs. Ella Irving, five brothers, James, Fred, Homer and William Garrett of Xenia, and Clarence Garrett with the American Expeditionary forces in France, and two sisters, Elsie and Alena Garrett, of Xenia, and other relatives and friends. Funeral will be Saturday afternoon at 1:30 at the residence of her brother, James Garrett, 819 East Second street.

No Slacker.

Father—"Why don't you stick to work more? It ought to be a real enjoyment to you." Son—"It is, sir, but I don't like to give myself up wholly to pleasure."

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HEARD FROM OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

The following letter was recently received by Mel Beal from his friend Clyde Kussmaul, well known Xenian, who was reported killed in France when the name of another man, who spelled his name, Kussmaul, appeared in the casualty list. The letter to Mr. Beal was written on November 8th, three days before the armistice was signed and at that time Kussmaul was in good health. His letter follows:

Mr. Mel Beal, Xenia, Ohio.

Dear Friend:

Well Pop, I promised you a letter so I don't want any of my friends to do without what I can furnish, so here goes—although it is very difficult to find anything to write about, as I suppose you know more about the war than I do, as I am so busy I sometimes don't get to see a paper for a week or more, but somebody told me the other day the war was almost finished, and that I might be home to "Manger Noel Diner." I know you read French fluently, etc., so that is why I dropped those three words. You remember when we used to fish out in the Arkansas river, we used to speak a great deal of French there to the natives.

I have learned how to hunt and fish in French, and I think I can learn the French method of poking Germans with a bayonet. Tell my German friends in Xenia to look out for me when I get back, as I am liable to for-

get the war is over. Tell Mrs. Beal to please shine up that attic room as I want to come out, and drink butter-milk for a couple of days. I haven't had a real good glass since I landed over here.

Well Mel, in conclusion I must say I never felt better in my life and had less. I can carry all my belongings in a gunny sack, but such is war. Nevertheless I'm glad I am in it, and the only regret I have is, I didn't stay in the infantry where I had a chance to plug a few Boche. Hope these few lines find you, yours and all of Xenia in the best of health, etc., I beg to remain,

Sincerely,

Clyde J. Kussmaul.
D. 2 M.—A. P. O. 738, France.

Felt Need of Change.

Charles was staying in the country where playmates were few. So long as it was Hobson's choice he amused himself with a little neighbor girl some years younger than himself, but on being invited to play with an older girl well supplied with toys, he entirely abandoned his former playmate regardless of all her attempts to lure him back. On being remonstrated with by his mother for his neglect of Julia he disgustfully remarked, "Oh mother, I'll go back to Julia some day, but a fellow sometimes wants a change."

PRESIDENT WILL SPEAK ON PEACE IDEAS IN FRANCE

Aboard the U. S. S. George Washington, Dec. 5.—(By Wireless to New York)—President Wilson will talk plainly upon his fourteen peace principles, when he reaches France. That he will make speeches is indicated by the concern shown over his slight cold, and as to whether his throat will be in good condition upon his arrival.

After disposing of his routine work, the president rests much of the time, under orders of Rear Admiral Grayson, his personal physician. The latter and President Wilson take frequent constitutional about the decks.

The president attends the ship's movies and participates in all functions.

The George Washington is expected to arrive in Brest Dec. 12 or 13, by way of the Azores. The ship's wireless is in constant touch with Washington.

All the vessel's appointments are very plain. The President and Mrs. Wilson occupy the same suites that were built especially for the kaiser and kaiserin years ago.

BULLET REMOVED FROM KING'S HEAD

Charles King, who attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself in the head with a small calibre rifle, is resting comfortably at the Espy hospital and unless some complications set in he will recover. The bullet was removed by Dr. Finley Thursday morning.

FALSE ALARM

A false alarm of fire from Box 51, caused the department to make a run to a point near Fisher's grocery on Cincinnati avenue, Thursday morning. A blue burning out caused an alarm to be turned in from the residence of Francis Keim on west Second street Wednesday night, and the department had a long run to make in answer to that call.

MORE LOANS MADE.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Another reconstruction credit was established by the treasury department today. Greece was granted a loan of \$23,764,036.

This makes the total credits to Greece \$39,554,036, and the total to all the allies \$8,220,340,702.

"What Matters the Road?"

Now and then in Brittany one sees an East Indian, lithe as a panther, peering in at the open door of a cathedral with wistful interest. As Krishna said many hundreds of years ago: "What matters the road if it leads to God?"—Nina Larrey Duryea in Harper's Magazine.



Aluminum as a Hone for Steel Tools.

Aluminum will put a fine edge on cutting instruments, such as surgical knives, razors, and similar articles. Its action is analogous to that of a razor hone of the best quality. When steel is rubbed on the aluminum, as, for example, a knife blade, the latter metal disintegrates, forming a very fine powder of a greasy quality that clings to the steel with great tenacity, thereby assisting in cutting away the surface of the harder metal. So fine is the edge produced that it cannot be made any finer by the use of a strap, which used in the ordinary way will tend merely to round the edge.—Popular Science Monthly.

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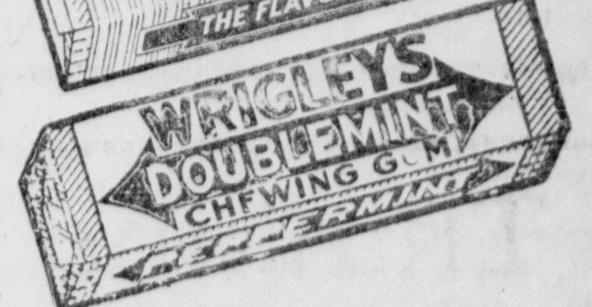
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WHEN PRICES DROP.

A sharp drop in prices will follow the end of the war, but we will have no crisis. Wages will also drop, but fair play on the part of both capital and labor will keep this from resulting in industrial turmoil.

The belief that there will be a drastic drop in prices is based on obvious conditions. With a vast body of labor rapidly being discharged from munition factories the world over to resume the production of normal supplies; with steel, copper, coal, shipping and other essentials released; with 50,000,000 soldiers returning to farms and factories, there will be an immense increase in the volume of goods available for civilian consumption.

Under ordinary conditions this would mean a business crisis with widespread bankruptcy. Yet, to take a historical precedent local to America, the veritable collapse of prices in the North, following the civil war, produced no such crisis. Not only so, but fortunately the reasons it did not are clear and may be used for our present guidance.

In the six months from January to July, 1865, the general average of wholesale prices slumped over 30 per cent. Such a slump coming unexpected would seem to mean universal bankruptcy. Most merchants, having bought goods largely with borrowed money and meeting, in effect a 30 per cent depreciation when they undertook to sell those goods, would be unable to pay their debts. The credit system would collapse.

Yet 1865 was remarkable for the comparative fewness of its bankruptcies. Dun's Agency reported only 500 failures for that year, as against 5,900 in 1861. When the war ended then, we all expected we should have a panic. Instead, the activity of the Northern States during the civil war continued after the war. A million men in the army were reabsorbed by industry, trade and agriculture, with little shock.

The South was prostrated for a long time after the war, but the North went on vigorously. The situation, then, however, was different from the situation now in many ways.

The rise in Civil War prices was due chiefly to the depreciation of the Green back dollar, which at its lowest in July, '64, was worth only 35 cents in gold. There was no world-wide shortage of goods except cotton. The prices were not gold prices but paper money prices. They represented not a rise in the value of goods, but a fall in the value of the paper dollar. Vice versa, the fall in prices in 1865 represented a rise in the value of the paper dollar as the victory of the North became assured and it became probable that the government would redeem its paper money in gold at a reasonable early date.

High prices today in the United States, however, are high gold prices, representing a real scarcity of supplies of almost all kinds. And as the Battle Creek man says: "There is a reason" for high prices which never existed in this country before in the same way—the reason of the "supply and demand"—especially the latter, on the part of the government, for over seas, for our own boys and also to help feed the starving nations of Europe. This demand may continue a few months longer, but hardly a year, and then we will resume normal conditions, and prices are bound to come down. The enormous demand for shoes, clothing and dozens of other articles are in the same class. When this unusual demand on the part of the government lets up, there is bound to be a slump in prices, to the advantage of everybody.

Foresight saved the business men of 1865. Foresight will save the business men today. Business men generally are anticipating a change. They are carrying light stocks of goods as a matter of caution. The credit situation is safer today than at the end of the civil war. Banks today have been more prudent in extending credit than banks in the civil war period were. So, with the general expectation of the decline in prices, we may expect business to meet it with safety. Only that man should suffer who goes, light-heartedly and carelessly on, on the theory that present prices are to last forever.

WHY WE WENT INTO THE WAR.

Let us thank God that we, as a nation entered the war. Because with our entrance the motive of the conflict changed and men began to see it as a humanitarian conflict, rather than one between nations, that had long sought to checkmate each other. It became a war between the forces of imperialism and democracy, between a political ideal that demanded the supremacy of the people over against that of the aristocracies and nobilities of the nations. It became a sacrificial war, whose soldiers went forth to offer themselves for an ideal, to suffer and to die, not for themselves, but for others. It became a conflict not of wanton bloodshed based upon the selfish desires of men but an offering of the best life and the purest blood of the nation for no return other than the assurance that suffering men, women and children might come to live again in peace of mind and contentment in their own land. Thank God that our nation went into the war and raised it from the low materialism of hatred and blood to that of high idealism of chivalry and sacrifice.

PRIVATE JOSEPH FOODY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

Mrs. Michael Foody, of East Second street, received official notice from Adjutant General Harris Wednesday evening, that her son, Private Joseph F. Foody, has been reported as missing in action since October 10.

The report was a great shock to his family, who did not know that he was at the front. His mother is in poor health, the news regarding her son has affected her greatly.

Private Foody went to Camp Taylor May 27, and was transferred to Camp Beauregard, and sailed for France from Newport News, in August. He was a member of Company G, 153rd Infantry. His family has only received three letters from him since he reached France. The young man is one of four children, William, Miss Mary and Michael. He was employed as a cutter at the Xenia shoe factory before going into the service, and has a large number of friends, who join with the family in hoping that further news may be received indicating that he is living.

Everyday Etiquette

"In sending out announcements after a wedding would it be proper to send only to out of town relatives and friends?" asked Mabel.
"Announcements are sent to those whom the bride and bridegroom wish to retain on their calling list, and whom they wish to notify of the happy event," answered her mother.

MOTORRAIDS

In fact, the glistening trails across the great American and Mojave deserts, testify to great tourist travel, greater, perhaps, than any other two roads in the country. The Pacific coast has the finest roads in the country, and, in consequence, the motorist there gets more tire mileage and uses less gasoline per mile than in any other section of the country.

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VIRTUE ITS OWN REWARD.

CHAPTER CV.

It was only about nine o'clock when Ruth retired. She awoke at the clock struck twelve. She recalled that Brian said he would be home early. She raised herself on her elbow to see if he were in his bed.

It was a clear moonlight night. She could plainly see that the bed was unoccupied. At once she was wide awake. What had been the use of staying in because he had said he would come home early? Then the humorous side of the thought struck her. She smiled in the darkness. What difference really had it made? She had been sound asleep!

She lay awake listening for another hour before she heard his key in the door. That virtue was its own reward, she was sure when he said he had spent a most enjoyable evening. "Did you go to the theater?" he asked as he kicked off his shoes.

"No, unfortunately Mr. Mandel was out of town so he couldn't act as my escort, as you so kindly suggested," Ruth used her most sarcastic tone.

"It was too bad," his careless voice made her wince. Then he threw back his head and laughed—a clear, ringing, boyish laugh. "Taking a leaf out of my note book, are you? I was pretty horrid, I know, this morning, and last night both. But—oh, never mind."

"How did your dinner come off?" "Fine." He put his hand in his pocket and fished out a little silver.

"All that's left of your eighteen dollars. That tells the story."

Ruth gasped. A stab of something like real pain shot thru her as she remembered that she had earned that eighteen dollars, and had not even been consulted as to whether she would have preferred to entertain these friends of his at home; or pay for their entertainment elsewhere.

"You see, we had some wine, and then cigars after the coffee. Then we talked so long we had liquors, and some more smokes. Then I had to give the waiter a good tip because he had held down the table so long," there was no apology in Brian's voice. He simply had stated facts.

"It would have been cheaper to have entertained them here, and surely Rachel can cook well enough for anyone."

"A darn sight better than those restaurant cooks—But—well you always get up-stage and hurt when I say anything about your working. So I won't say what's in my mind."

"If I didn't work we couldn't have Rachel," Ruth said very quietly. She knew what was in his mind; had heard him talk too often on the subject to be in any doubt. She did not feel in the mood to argue with him.

"Oh, I know she is one of the luxuries you would rather have than to have your husband's society."

"How can you talk so?" "Because it is true. Don't you work in the shop so that you won't be obliged to work at home? And doesn't your work take you away from me, and doesn't it give you money to pay Rachel, and isn't that a sign that you prefer her to my company? If it isn't, I'll eat my hat."

He had said all this not crossly, as

was his wont, but more in a tone of raillery. Evidently he had enjoyed himself far more than usual.

"Who were your guests, Brian?" She felt like adding that she thought she was entitled to know, as long as she had paid for their entertainment.

"Two Englishmen."

"Was it business?" "Yes and no. That is, they knew a lot of things I want to learn about, and so I invited them to dinner. Rattling fine chaps, both of them."

"Are they in New York for long?" "Not very long, a couple of weeks."

"Why not ask them up and let me meet them?"

"Not on your life. They would know I couldn't afford all this, and Rachel too. No indeed! Until I earn enough to support the style in which you have made up your mind to live, I shall not make any more acquaintances that I bring home."

It was the first time that Brian had said such a thing, in spite of his objections to Ruth's working. He had been cross and fault-finding because Ruth had to be away occasionally; had acted a bit shame-faced, at first, to have her pay the bills and give him money. But to say that he would not bring people to their home because he didn't support it, was terrible. He took Ruth's money to entertain them elsewhere. Ruth made up her mind it was just an excuse to stay out without her.

To-morrow—Clashing Ideas.

Musical Expression in Children.
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Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A small trial bottle will double the beauty of your hair. Adv.

COURT NEWS

Alleging that his wife "treats him with utter contempt" and is generally cruel and hateful toward him, T. J. Wright has filed an answer and cross petition asking for divorce from Minnie L. Wright. Mrs. Wright sued for divorce several weeks ago, and was granted temporary alimony. Her husband declares that she has refused to cook his meals, has made an effort to have the meals ready after he had gone to work, refuses to wash his clothes, teaches the children to disrespect him, occasionally locks him out at night, and in many ways makes his home uncomfortable. M. A. Broadstone, attorney.

Cheerful Men Always in Demand.
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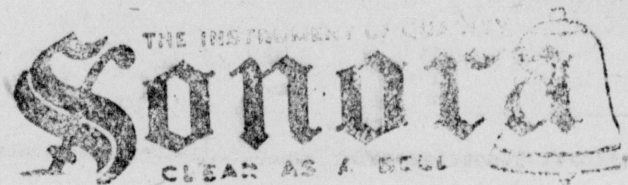
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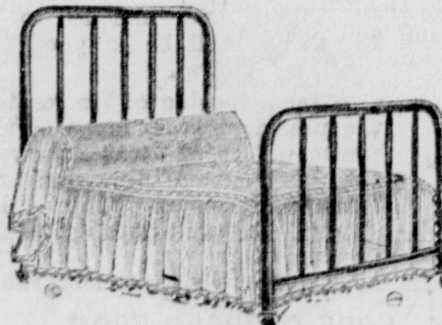
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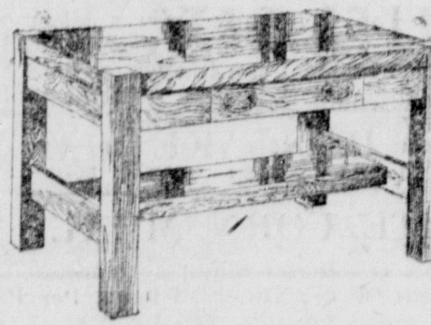
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CEDARVILLE BOY GIVES A VIVID STORY PEACE CELEBRATION IN PARIS

Fred Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall of Cedarville, who is with the photographic department of the U. S. Signal Corps in overseas duty has written several very interesting letters to parents. Mr. Marshall, who has some reputation in a literary way gives a most vivid description of the incidents that attended the peace day celebration in Paris. He arrived in France a short time before the close of the war and was in Paris when the armistice was signed. One of his letters was written the day before the armistice was signed and the other on the day after it was signed. These two letters are printed below. A third letter which gives a splendid word picture of his trip through England will be printed later.

Paris, France, Nov. 10, 1918.
Dear Folks:—This is Sunday—Our day off, and I am down town taking in the sights of gay Paris. The streets are crowded this a. m. and every one in a state of joy and excitement. Everywhere one greets you with "la guerre finit." "The war is ended." It is sure is good news and it means more to these people than it does to us because they have seen the war and can enjoy the victory better.

We arrived here five days ago from La Harve. Remained about eight

hours there in a rest camp after an eight hour night trip across the channel from Southampton, England. France is a beautiful country and the train service, although slower than ours, is good. The engines look small but carry a long train. The coaches open at side doors to the different compartments. There are 1st, 2nd and 3rd class passages. 3rd class is simply a box car arrangement holding 40 "hommes" (men) and 20 cheveaux (horses). We have always traveled 1st class through England and France and I presume we have passed through the most prosperous sections of both countries. It has rained every day since we left New York except these last two days which are wonderful. Just like October at home. Last night was frosty and this a. m. is crisp and makes a person feel good.

The people here are very courteous and polite to American soldiers and seem to give us all the credit for winning the war. "We came just in time they say" and everywhere we are furnished the best of respect and treatment. A Frenchman will go out of his way miles to direct you to the right street or building and his cordial "Bon Jour Mesieur" meets you everywhere. Food is of course very light. Candy is

off the market, no sugar at all. It is a common thing to see quite respectable looking Frenchman walking down street with a three foot loaf of bread under his arm. This constitutes, in most part the meal. Meat is high, but seems to be of good quality. Notice little birds like sparrows, also pheasants and large rabbits on the market. It is the custom of the French to sell everything out on the streets, like our city markets. The price first asked is away above the worth of the article but it is not hard to "Jew 'em down" to a fair price. They mean nothing by this. Simply a custom. They expect you to kick about the price and are not satisfied unless you stand around and talk and quibble for a half hour.

There are more cafe and wine rooms in Paris than any thing else, and who is as common as water women and men drink it with no display of embarrassment, but you seldom see any drunk people. If it is any one it is an English or American soldier who is so promiscuously on the street.

The money is constituted from "The Franc" as a standard. The Franc is worth about 17-18 cts. of our money. 100 centimes makes a Franc. Five Francs makes one of our dollars.

Paris is kept in absolute darkness at night and it is hard to keep from running into people or the gutters. This is to guard against air raids. The last one occurred just a short while before we arrived. The only lights that are kept lit are dim blue lights on each street corner. Paris has a wonderful subway system. The city is underlined with tubes. There is also an elevated railway here run by steam.

The public places are all decorated with captured trophies of war. I will have some pictures to show you when I come home. There are about 250 photographers stationed in Paris. A fine bunch of boys. We are sent to the front about once every month in a Ford and stay about a week. That is enough too. There are impressions left on my mind that can't be wiped off very soon.

You can imagine how it feels to get back to a comfortable bunk beside a real grate fire after wading through mud, sleeping in it, eating in it, with rats running over your face and "cooties" biting your back off. But it makes a person laugh when he don't feel like it and that is pretty good for anyone. Our quarters here are in a very ancient section of the city and a short walk would take me to the scenes of butchery in the times of

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HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends a cold or gripe in a few hours.

Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. It promptly opens clogged up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay puffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such profound relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

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SUES HUSBAND WHO ATTACKED HER WITH AXE, FOR DIVORCE

Within one day of the first anniversary of the brutal attack with an axe, which was made upon her by her husband, Mrs. Lizzie West, brought suit for divorce from Sherman West, who is now confined in the penitentiary for the attempt to kill his wife.

Mrs. West, in her petition, cites the assault of December 6, 1917, and the fact that the defendant is now an inmate of the penitentiary, as grounds for divorce. Harry D. Smith is her attorney.

West attacked his wife in the kitchen at their home. Using a short handled meat axe he struck her in the head and body. Her skull was fractured, and while it was supposed that she would die, she recovered from her wounds at the McClellan hospital. The Wests were married in 1889.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR T. L. McDONALD

Funeral services for Thomas Logan McDonald, were held Wednesday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Miss Cora McDonald, on Rogers street.

The Rev. A. J. Kestle officiated. Interment was in Woodland cemetery, and the pallbearers were: Chauncey McDonald, Alex Watkins, Charles McDonald, L. S. Barnes, Russell Davis and John Watkins.

BELLBROOK

Miss Clara Winters entertained at a turkey dinner on Thanksgiving Day, at her home, Mrs. James Cunningham.

Miss Zeava Morris, Mrs. Nellie Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Peterson and son Ray.

Miss Mollie Kemp, of Dayton, visited Mr. James Crowl and daughters, Thanksgiving Day.

Rolla Davis, who underwent an operation at the St. Elizabeth hospital last Tuesday morning, for catarrh of the eyes, is getting along nicely.

The funeral of Newton Berryhill, of south of town, was held from his residence Tuesday afternoon. Burial was made in Bellbrook cemetery.

Rastus Maxwell, 82 years old, died at the residence of his son Ernest Maxwell, east of town, Tuesday morning, of pneumonia.

Miss Dorothy Coss and Miss Grace Brown, of Dayton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Davis, from Saturday until Sunday.

John Whitacre, of Dayton, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

The influenza is raging again in this community. Our schools did not open today on account of this dreadful disease.

The sick of our village are: Miss Florence Myers, Mrs. Myrtle Weaver, Ruth Dinwiddie, Mrs. Charles Miller and Alfred Jones.

Mrs. George Brown fell Saturday morning at her home, receiving injuries from which there is no hope of her recovery.

Oliver Watson visited his sister, Mrs. Harry McGinnis, and family, of Lytle, from Friday until Monday evening.

THEATERS

BIJOU.

One of the most remarkable pictures of contemporaneous American life, embracing the divorce question, and the more intimate phases of marital questions, is "Old Wives for New," produced by Cecil B. De Mille, from the novel by David Graham Phillips, with the scenario by Jeanie Macpherson. It is an Artercraft picture, and will be shown at the Bijou theater, next Friday and Saturday, Dec. 6th and 7th.

ORPHUM.

Probably few photoplays produced in the last few years have developed a more mysterious and enigmatic character than that of Judith in "False Ambition," portrayed by Alma Rubens, and to be presented at the Orphum theater, on Friday, December 6th.

Don't Be a Nagger.

Some folks act as though they have a mortgage on the universe. To hear them talk you would almost wonder whether or not you have a right to breathe without permission. These self-appointed directors of the world and all that's in it make life miserable for themselves and everybody they touch. They have the one and only monopoly of the way things ought to be done and you are supposed to do things that way or be anathema. Most people have various names for such folks, but when all's said they're just plain naggers.

Didn't Suit Carolyn. Carolyn was fond of sweet corn. One day while the family was seated at the table her mother said: "Carolyn, I think you have had enough corn." Carolyn looked up earnestly at her mother as she said: "Mother, I hate for you to do my thinking."

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY.

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sayre & Hemphill, adv.

FORMER KAISER CAN BE TRIED UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL LAWS

The former kaiser can be punished under the rulings of the international laws of warfare, signed and approved by Germany and the Allied nations.

This fact is pointed out by army officials as the proper procedure in the movement growing daily throughout the world to extradite "Count Hohenzoellern" from Holland and call him to account for his position in the world war.

The provision for the punishment of criminals—in this case the former kaiser, for war crimes—is contained in the official test issued by the United States government to the army officers of the international rules of warfare as they have been drawn up and approved by the principal nations of the world during conventions of

GREENE COUNTY BOY INJURED BY SHRAPNEL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Woods of near Port William, have received a letter from their son, Mechanic Alva Woods, who belongs to the 148th U. S. Infantry, that he is in abase hospital some where in France, recovering from a slight wound in the jaw, caused by a piece of shrapnel. He also received a broken arch.

Mr. Woods reports he is getting along nicely and will be back home soon with his company, which has been in active service for some time. Mr. Woods is a prominent Greene county boy. His relatives and friends are sorry to learn of his misfortune.

Know What You Want.

"The hardest customers I have," a salesman in a city store declared recently, "are the people who are waiting for someone to tell them what they want." This class of people is larger than we might expect, and not only do they make trouble for others but they are restless and discontented. Do not wait for someone to tell you what you want. Find out for yourself. The first step toward getting what you want is to know what it is.

Teach Children Correct Speech.

After all, the best place to carry on a campaign for better speech is right in the home with the little circle that three times a day gathers about the dining room table, or perhaps it is only the kitchen table, it makes no difference, and the same little circle which in the evening gathers about the hearth. For it is the speech which we hear about us at home that clings to us through life.—Exchange.

DON'T SPOT YOUR CLOTHES.

Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

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The Quick Way to Stop a Cough

This home-made syrup does the work in a hurry. Easily prepared, and saves about \$2.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough, is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Usually stops the ordinary cough or chest cold in 24 hours. Tastes pleasant, too—children like it—and it is pure and good.

Four 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle; then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup. And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly leads the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, famous for its healing effect on the membranes.

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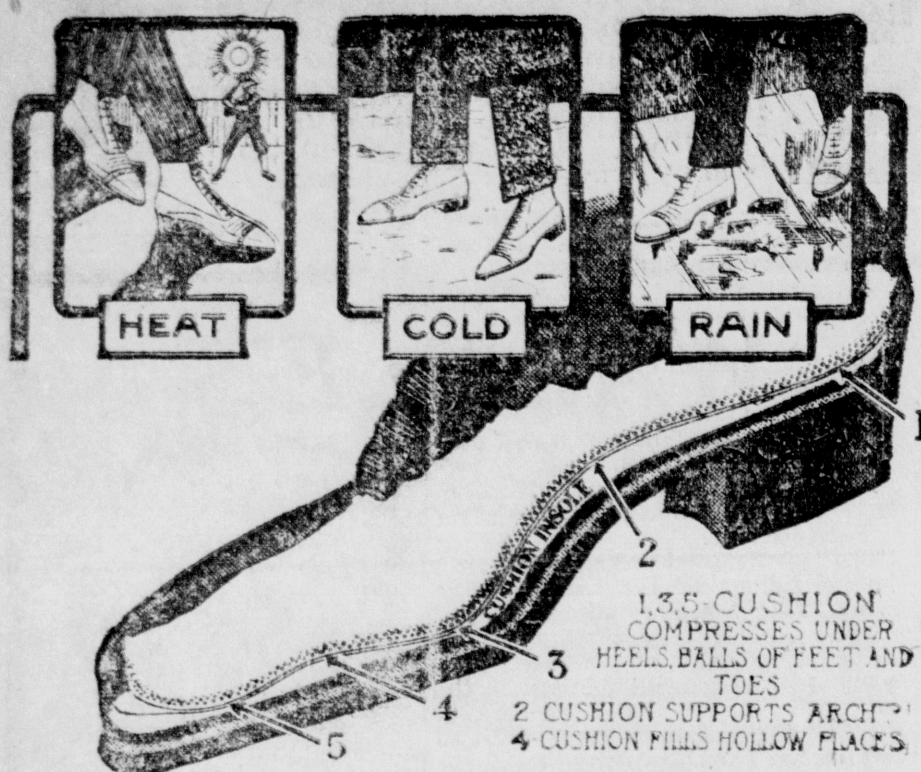
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CEDARVILLE BOY GIVES VIVID STORY OF PEACE CELEBRATION

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of Terror." You have heard of the "The French Revolution" and "Reign of Terror." We are in the ancient town of Vincennes, connected with Paris, but a separate town like Newark is to New York. We live in a wonderful old Chateau; more beautiful than any house in Greene county. Fine places, great mirrors and tapestry, great hallways and secret cellars, etc. It is enclosed within a light stone wall with an iron gateway. It is half hidden in shrubbery and trees and has a beautiful fountain in front. I will send you pictures of it later on.

Our work is for most part in the laboratory except during the time we are called out into the field. I am collecting as many souvenirs as I can and will try to ship them home after the war. If Lawrence was here he could get all the German helmets I could haul away in a truck. He should have seen the one I saw last week near the battle field of Grand Pre—a German helmet with a head in it. I wish I was permitted to keep

some of these pictures we take at the front. They are kept strictly secret and none of us allowed to have them. I am indeed fortunate to be in this branch of the army. We have better conditions than the average Major has and the food is fine.

The girls here are very enthusiastic about the "American soldier" and it is pretty hard to walk along the street without having some dark eyed Mademoiselle grab you by the arm and suggest "a promenade" (a walk) or a "cinema" (a movie).

We have a pass that gives us leave until 12 o'clock every night. I have not received mail from home yet and don't suppose I shall for some time to come, but rest assured I am well and happy. Have a French girl and am learning the French language, and know Paris like a book already. I am coming home by next March and all in all I think I've had a big time in this war. One thing is certain you don't get much of a rank in the Photographer Section of the Signal Corps, but you eat with the Generals and are treated royal. The little O. P. (Official Photographer) we wear on our sleeve adds to any private concern connected with the army. "So I say I'm lucky so far." I am anxious to hear from you and pray that you are all well. I will be home in time to "fight the bugs" as Pershing says to his men "Heaven, Hell or Hoboken" by Christmas, and thank heaven it's Hoboken.

Vi vi la France! I'm in love with her and as yet I've never met a better people or a finer looking soldier. I remember Pa always admired the French. Tell him they are everything tradition says and there is as much difference in a Frenchman and a Boche as there is between a gentleman and a pig.

Do not worry about me. Tell everybody I'm "fighting the battles of Paris" and will be home with the gang. Love to all.

FRED
702 A. P. O. Photographic Sec. Signal Corps, 55th Co., Paris, France.

Letter of Nov. 12
Paris, France, Nov. 12th, 1918.
Dear Folks:

"This is the morning after the night before" with me. I am hardly able to walk this morning. Yesterday I witnessed and took part in the greatest demonstration and perhaps the most sensational in all the history of mankind. "The celebration of the victory of the allies."

I have seen people in all manner of gaily moods, but this has surpassed anything I ever saw or hope to see in this world.

Paris has been mad with joy since yesterday at five thirty, when the first report came out that the armistice had been signed. Immediately the news spread like wildfire to the people who had been waiting in suspense for it, and the time to break loose.

We did not go to work, and I don't think there was anyone else in Paris who did either. We took down Old Glory and the porch flag from our pounds—twenty-five cents.

TOWN-BRED FARMER CAPTURES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP FIFTH TIME



Seager Wheeler talking with Agricultural Editors



Canadian Wheat Fields

For the fifth time, a plain, unassuming farmer from Rochester, Saskatchewan, captured the world's championship for the best bushel of spring wheat, at the International Farming Congress at Kansas City, Mo., and walked away with the \$500 cup. The man is Seager Wheeler, the most famous farmer on the continent, and winner of more prizes than you'd take the trouble to count.

Robert J. C. Stead in his new book, "The Cowpuncher," makes his own point: "It isn't a man's job that makes him sick of his job; it's what he thinks of his job." Seager Wheeler has thought to such an

advantage that he has the record of producing 82 bushels of wheat to the acre, while the average per acre for the whole United States is around 14 bushels.

He farms because he loves it and not to make money. He hasn't grown rich growing prize winning seed, but he has had a good time. He was a town-bred boy who happened to be a farmer and the whole world of agricultural experts, since he has been working out his ideas on his quarter section farm, has beaten a path to his door. It is estimated that if American farmers followed his example of utmost care in seed selection and in preparing the seed bed, that the wheat crop would be

exactly doubled, to a clear gain in round numbers of a billion and half dollars annually. Yet he farms in quite a humble way, too busy "just farming" to make himself well-to-do. He got the prize winning habit when he happened to send two bushels of the best wheat he had grown to the New York Land Show at Madison Square Gardens in 1911, where he captured the \$1,000 in gold hung up by Lord Shaugnessy for the best hard spring wheat grown on the continent. He never studied the science of agriculture or graduated from any school but the school of hard knocks, and of nature. "It teaches a man honesty," he says, "to go into partnership with Nature."

ANOTHER XENIA SOLDIER REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

Private George Ennis, a Xenia lad has been officially reported missing in action, October 1.

A telegram containing the news was received by his aunt, Mrs. Mary Shaw of 129 Trumbull street, Wednesday night.

Private Ennis was a member of C. M. 28th Infantry. With his brother Carl, he went to Camp Sherman April 23, as part of a contingent sent to camp by the local board. Two weeks later the unit to which the brother was attached went to France. The last letter received by Xenia relative from either of the brothers, was written October 1, and it said that they were then at the front, but were in good health. It is believed that Carl may also be in the casualty list.

The Ennis brothers were devoted to each other, and greatly enjoyed the fact that they were permitted to remain together in the same company. It is believed by the family that if Carl was alive and well, that he would have written to them regarding his brother. The lad's mother, Mrs. Hannah Mecher, lives in Canada. There are three other children, Myrtle Mary and Gussie.

WANTS CONFERENCE.
Munich, Dec. 4.—(Delayed)—Kurt Eisner, head of the Bavarian government, has telegraphed to Chancellor Ebert, requesting a conference of the heads of the German states at Jena, to discuss the composition of the foreign ministry, convocation of a national assembly and publication of secret documents.

Unkindness Often Bad Habit.
Unkindness is more a loose, indifferent habit than intentional neglect, disrespect, or downright meanness. Words and deeds are parented by thoughts; and it is so easy to fall into slothful, indifferent thinking that, oftentimes unthinkingly, we neglect, speak carelessly to, or treat unconcernedly those toward whom we ought to act with most consideration and deference. G. E. W., in Great Thoughts.

The People's Right.
The feudal system, like other stupen-
dous fabrics of past ages, is known only by the rubbish it has left behind it. Crowned heads have been compelled to submit to the restraints of law, and the people, with that intelligence which makes the voice restless, have been able to say to the prerogative "Thus far shalt thou come and no farther."—Daniel Webster.

FOR COUGH, "FLU" and "GRIP" COUGHS.

M. T. Davis, leading merchant of Bearsville, W. Va., writes: "A few nights ago one of my patrons had a small child taken with croup about midnight. Came to my store and got Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child entirely recovered. Parents can't say enough for Foley's Honey and Tar." Savre & Hemphill.

DOCTOR JACKSON'S DIGESTIVE AND LIVER POWDER

Will relieve acute indigestion. Keep it in your home.
Price 60c. and \$1.00 at all druggists. Send 3c stamp to the Jackson Medicine Co., Zanesville, O., for sample package.

VICKS VAPORUB and LAX-A-COLD for Spanish "Flu"

Get it at
DONGES

WALL PAPER

Hanna's Green Seal Paint and Floor Finishes.
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Chas. S. Johnson
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One Rude Wide Spread Manure Spreader

For Sale At
THE GREENE CO. HDWE. CO.
Xenia, O.

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After each meal—YOU eat one

EATONIC

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and get full food value and real stomach comfort. Instantly relieves heartburn, bloated, gassy feeling, STOPS acidity, food repeating and stomach misery. AID'S digestion; keeps the stomach sweet and pure.
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SAYRE & HEMPHILL, XENIA, O.

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Novelty Goods, Bric-a-brac, Cameras, Flash Lights, Fountain Pens and Many
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No. 6, South Detroit Street. XENIA, O.

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TO-NIGHT

SMASHING THROUGH!

A Big Special Western Mining Melodrama in six reels featuring Herbert Rawlinson, Neal Hart, Sally Star and an all star cast. Story all the world for the love of a girl.

Lyons-Moran Star Comedy one reel to start the show.

The BIGGEST and BEST PICTURES MADE.

Price always the Same—5 and 10c War Tax 1c Extra.

FRIDAY NIGHT

"FALSE AMBITION"

Triangle 5 reel comedy drama featuring Alma Rubens, Lee Hill, Lillian Langdon, Walt Whitman, Peggy Pearce and an all star cast. Story of telling fortunes and separating the wealthy from their money.

"KING BEE" Two reel comedy featuring BILLY WEST and an all star cast.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO.

BIDOU

TO-NIGHT

William Fox Presents

"The Caillaux Case"

A True Story of Love, Intrigue, Treason and War, With World Figures in the Principal Roles.
The Scandal That Stirred Two Continents.

"The Decoy"

One Reel Mutt and Jeff cartoon comedy, by Bud Fisher.

Admission 10c and 15c

Friday and Saturday Matinee and Night

"Old Wives For New"

An Artercraft Production in six reels, featuring Elliott Dexter, Sylvia Ashton and a notable cast of players.
Does your husband ever wish you were young again? Will the love of December be the same sweet love of May? What do the years that are passing the silver threads that are coming mean to you?
This picture may mean a life of happiness for you. Don't miss it.



CECIL B. DE MILLE'S "Old Wives For New"

Also a Good Comedy. Admission 10 and 15 cents

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Penetrating, Antiseptic Zemo Will Help You

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, redness, pimples, rash, blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds.

The L. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

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will rapidly improve your complexion by arousing the liver and putting stomach and blood in good order.

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FOR SALE—A number of choice Poland China gilts. March and April farrow. Cholera immune. Not bred. Price very reasonable. Also ten pure bred Shropshire cubs. Bell 741-R-4. James H. Hawkins. 12-13

FOR SALE—Young Holstein cow fresh in February. C. C. Turner, Citizens phone 3-807. Bell 4008-R-12. 12-7

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow with calves. Also three spotted Poland China male pigs. Priced to sell quick. Fred W. Williamson. Bell 41-4092. 12-7

FOR SALE—Household goods at northeast corner Main and Columbus streets, Saturday, 1 p. m. 12-7

FOR SALE—A seven room house with about three acres of land. Four miles out on the Springfield traction line. Call 619-W Bell phone. 12-6

FOR SALE—Ladies' second hand clothing. 168 Hill St. Commencing Thursday morning. Mrs. Bacon. 12-6

FOR SALE—Ford delivery truck 1917 model. Perfect running condition. good tires. Ford touring car 1917 model in perfect running condition. four new tires. I. Friedman, Famous Cheap Store. 12-6

FOR SALE—Stoves. See John Harbino, Allen Building, for good used ones. Both phones. 12-9

FOR SALE—20-50 lb steers. S. A. Dean, Citizens phone 21-826. 12-5

FOR RENT—Three light housekeeping rooms for rent. Couple of middle aged ladies. City and filtered eastern water, bath and gas. 25 Leaman street. 12-5

FOR SALE—Two fresh Jersey cows with calves by side. William Anderson. Bell 4001-11. 12-5

FOR SALE—Thirty-nine good feedings lambs. Wethers. Grant Miller, Rebins, O. Bell phone. 12-5

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China sow and six piglets. Eight weeks old. Inquire of Mrs. Lon Anderson, Goes, Ohio. 12-5

FOR SALE—M. B. turkeys; call Mutual telephone 174, or write Mrs. G. M. Hagler, R. No. 1, Xenia, O. 12-9

FOR SALE—Lump, block or nut coal. C. O. Miller, Elevator, Trebrens, O. 11-25tf

FOR SALE—Non-pareil Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels. Schwab Bros. and other leading breeders. Prices until Jan. 1st. J. H. Lackey, Jamestown, O. Citizens phone 3-70. 11-23tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels. Call John C. Spahr, Jamestown, O. Citizens phone 2-67. 12-18

PIANO fine upright. Sell \$10 down, then \$2 weekly. Harbino. 12-15

GASOLINE ENGINES, new, at two-thirds retail prices. John Harbino, Allen Building. 12-15

GOOD second hand heavy and light work harness. John Harbino, Allen Building. 12-15

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of repairs. Andy Phil second hand store. Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-8tf

WANTED

WANTED—To buy property to rent. Call Bell phone. G. G. McClain. 12-7

WANTED TO RENT—3 or 4 rooms with bath for light housekeeping by young married couple. Address "G" care of Gazette. 12-7

WANTED—Brakemen, firemen. \$175 monthly. experience unnecessary. Send stamped envelope. Railway, care of Box 263 city. 12-6

WANTED—Second hand Victrola in good order. Call Bell phone 140-W. 12-7

WANTED—Man and wife in country; man for farm work and woman for housework; no children. Call 17-Y-2 Springfield, Va. O. 12-6

WANTED—Help. Apply at 115 N. Detroit St. Mrs. Whittington. 12-6

WANTED—Situation as stationary steam engineer or boiler operator. (Licensed.) Bell 596-W. 12-10

WANTED—Girls. Apply F. W. Woodworth Co., 24 So. Detroit St., Xenia, Ohio. 12-5

WANTED—Situation as stationary steam engineer or boiler operator. 12-9

WANTED—Dec. 6, 1918 Horses and mules. Horses from 4 to 12 years weight from 950 to 1250. Mules from 4 to 12 years weight from 800 to 1200. Frank Hummrich, at Evans Livery Barn. 12-6

WANTED—White woman to assist with housework. Small family in country. Good home. Address Home, care Gazette. 11-30

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—D. of A. lodge pin. Call Citizens 455. 12-6

LOST—Wednesday, Nov. 27th, on Xenia car between Trebrens and Xenia, arriving at 4:30 p. m., purse containing about \$5.00 with owner's name in it. Leave at Gazette office. Reward. 12-6

LOST—November 16, lap robe between Petz grocery and overhead bridge on Detroit street. Leave at Petz grocery. 12-6

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; central. Address, R. care Gazette. 12-4

PUBLIC SALES

Have your ads announced FREE in this column early, so that others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the paper. No charge. Also, also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE—Dec. 19th, 10:30 a. m. at J. M. Paxson farm, 2 1/2 miles N. of Trebrens, 2 mi. S. of Byron, 5 mi. N. W. of Xenia on Fairground road—50 head cattle, 60 hogs, 42 sheep, 150 doz. chickens, 20 tons mixed hay, farm implements. Auc. Mouk & Welkert. Clerk, A. D. Kendig. N. C. PAUL JAMES.

PUBLIC SALE advertising in the Gazette and Republican bring the crops in the days of automobiles, the farmer has no time to stop along the road to read sale bills. He is coming to depend upon these papers to notify him of the sale dates and articles to be offered for sale. It's the buyer from a distance who sees your ad in this paper, who jumps in to his auto and hustles to your sale, who pays what your stuff is worth. Your neighbor no longer can stand around and pick off what he needs at an absurd price, as he does when you have not properly advertised, and gotten good value. Use the Gazette and Republican if you want the worth of everything you offer. Don't try to save on your advertising.

PUBLIC SALE—Dec. 12th, at 10:30 a. m., my place on the East edge of Xenia, 1/2 mile S. of Xenia, 1/2 mile E. of Hogs, 21 sheep, wagon, sled, shovels and harness. Some household goods. Fodder and fire stuff. Call on Auc. H. C. Fisher. Clerk, H. C. Fisher. N. C. H. F. FISHER.

PUBLIC SALE—Dec. 17th, at 10 o'clock at my residence, 2 miles north of Bellbrook on the Bellbrook and Alpha pike. Horse, cows, implements, hay, fodder, and many other things too numerous to mention. R. R. Griest, Auc. C. F. Brown. Clerk, W. M. N. KOHRBAUGH.

AUCTIONEERS

Who conduct Public Sales in and around Greene county:

Harry Kennon, Cedarville, O.
Col. M. J. Sprague, Xenia, O.
Titus Bros., So. Charleston, O.
Mouk & Welkert, Osborn, O.
Wm. Mills, New Burlington, O.
R. E. Grice, Xenia, O.
Kogler Bros., R. 7, Xenia
S. T. Baker, R. D. Cedarville
W. H. Smith, Davies Elder, Dayton
Carl Taylor, R. D. Jamestown
Harry Wilson, R. D. Cedarville
Frank Morrow, R. D. Jamestown
C. A. Hanes, R. 7, Xenia
Lester Shoup, R. 8, Dayton
Jess Stanley, R. D. Waynesville
W. Sena, Waynesville, O.
C. T. Hawke, Waynesville, O.
A. McNeal, Centerville, O.
B. C. Sessler, Jamestown, O.
John H. Wright, Bellbrook, O.
Allison Bros., R. 3, Cedarville, O.

REAL ESTATE

HOUSE—\$25 down and \$15 monthly. Call J. Harbino, Allen Bldg. Telephone. 12-12

ARMS—If you want to buy, I can tell you time, as I have lately listed many farms. John Harbino, Allen Building, Xenia, O. Telephone. 12-15

REAL ESTATE and loans; notes bought. John Harbino, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, O. 9-11tf

TOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-11f

JOHN H. PRUGH, "the Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Monday through Friday, 10 to 12. Successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11f

MISCELLANEOUS

PUBLIC AUCTIONS—Household goods for sale. Call Bell phone 12-5

GENERAL AUCTIONEERING—Allison Bros., 76 Jamestown exchange. 12-20

JOHN H. WRIGHT, General auctioneer. Saled to meet the owners' highest approval. Call Bell phone 12-5

POULTRY WANTED—Fletcher's grocery, retail and wholesale dealers in poultry, butter and eggs. Corner 3rd street and Cincinnati Ave., Xenia, Ohio. Bell 493. Citizens 30. 12-5

FISHBACK'S New and Second-Hand Store, 633, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell Clothing, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, etc. Citizens' phone G-334.

LOOK—Now is the time. Dig out your last year's overcoat or suit. Have it cleaned, pressed, repaired. Ed Pressinger, 30 West Main Street, upstairs. 12-5

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay positively the highest prices. Prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co. Bell 471-R. Citizens 20. 8-24tf

Legal Notice

The Board of Education of Bath Township, Rural School District, on the 4th day of December, 1918, filed its certain Petition in the Common Pleas Court of Greene County, Ohio, praying for authority to transfer One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars from the Tuition fund of said School District, to the contingent fund of said School District.

Said Petition will be heard on the 9th day of December, 1918, at 9 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as may be convenient for the Court. Any person or persons objecting to the prayer of said petition may file the objections in such cause, on or before the above specified time for hearing and are entitled to be heard at said hearing.

The Board of Education of Bath Township, Rural School District, Greene County, Ohio, by E. O. Loutzong, Clerk.

Harry D. Smith, Prosecuting Attorney, Greene County, Ohio, Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice of Appointment

Estate of Cornelius Cox, deceased. M. A. Broadstone has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of Cornelius Cox, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 3 day of December A. D. 1918.

J. Carl Marshall, Probate Judge of said County, adv. 12-5, 12-19

NEW BURLINGTON

Mrs. Eunice Smith and little son, of Spring Valley, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Scammanhorn, from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam. Fudge and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith and three little daughters, of New Jasper, were guests of Mr. Fudge's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Icenhower. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harlan had for their guests, Thanksgiving Day, his brother, Zenas Harlan and wife and son, Thomas Harlan and family of Miamisburg, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pickin, and little son, of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morris and daughter, of Dayton, spent Thanksgiving Day with his brother, Lyle Morris and family, in their new home, recently purchased of Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Whitaker.

Lewis Holland and family moved Tuesday into the house vacated by Lyle Morris and family, where he will be employed by C. D. Mairs.

Mrs. J. C. Pickin and son, John Harlan, of Dayton, are spending the week with her parents.

The Mutual Telephone Company has purchased the property of Lewis Holland, which will be used as a dwelling for the operators, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hadley, and also the exchange will be located there.

Miss Lulu Ewing has returned to her home after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Reeves, of town.

Master Stephen Mills of Xenia, spent Monday with his cousin, Master Donald Reeves.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine," E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

NOTICE

In pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Greene County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, on the 7TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1918, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M., at the West door of the Court House in the City of Xenia, Ohio, the following described real estate:

Situate in the County of Greene, State of Ohio, and City of Xenia, Ohio, being all of lot number thirteen (13) in Richard Galloway Addition to the City of Xenia, as the same is designated, numbered and known on the recorded plat of said addition which is recorded in Vol. 1 page 229 of the Records of said County.

Being all of the same premises decreed to Lydia J. Dean by J. Carl Marshall by deed recorded in Vol. 18 page 206, Greene County Deed Records.

Said property is located on North Galloway Street, being house number 621 on said Street. Said premises were appraised at Twenty-eight Hundred Dollars (\$2800.)

Terms of sale, one-third cash, one-third in one and two years from day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on premises sold, and to bear interest at six per cent at the option of the purchaser.

By J. Carl Marshall, Probate Judge of said County.

Miller & Finney, Attorneys for Admrs. adv. 11-7, 14, 21, 28, 12-5

LEGAL NOTICE

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF OHIO, GREENE COUNTY, ss.

Pursuant to a command of an order of sale issued from the Probate Court of Greene County, Ohio, and to me directed, I, the undersigned, will offer for sale at public auction at the west door of the Court House, in the City of Xenia, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1918, at 10 o'clock, the following real estate:

Situate in the County of Greene, State of Ohio and City of Xenia, and being the West side of Lot 42 of John Lemman's First Addition to the City of Xenia, as the same is known, designated and numbered on the recorded plat thereof. Said real estate is described as follows: A two-thirds of the S. W. corner of said lot in the North side of Second Street and running thence Eastwardly with the West line of said Street 49 feet to a stake; thence Northwardly 156 feet to the N. W. corner of lot No. 43 in the South line of an 18 foot alley thence Westwardly with the S. line of an 18 foot alley 34 feet to the N. W. corner of said lot No. 42; thence with the West line of said lot Southwardly 157 1/2 feet to the place of beginning.

Said property is situated at No. 524 West Second Street, in the City of Xenia, Ohio. Said real estate has been appraised at \$1200.00 and cannot be sold for less than two-thirds of the appraised value thereof. Terms of sale, CASH.

The above premises to be sold by order of the Probate Court in the case wherein Carrie D. Geyer as Executrix of Lydia Jane Brandenberg, deceased, et al., are defendants.

CARRIE D. GYER, Executrix of the will and testament of Lydia Jane Brandenberg, deceased.

MARCUS SHoup, Attorney, adv. 10-3, 11-7, 14, 21, 28, 12-5

Notice of Appointment

Estate of Elizabeth Miller, deceased. W. B. Miller has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Miller, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 23rd day of November, A. D. 1918.

J. CARL MARSHALL, Probate Judge of said County. (Nov 23-dec 5-12)

Notice For Parole

Notice is hereby given that Robert Seidman, prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, Mansfield, Ohio, is entitled, under the law and rules governing paroles from said institution, to recommendation to the Board of Clemency, by the Superintendent and Chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole. Said application will be for hearing on and after Dec. 10, 1918.

J. E. CLARK, Chief Clerk, adv. 11-21-28-12-5

Notice of Appointment

Estate of R. A. Wilcox, deceased. Alice L. Wilcox has been appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of R. A. Wilcox, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 3 day of December A. D. 1918.

J. Carl Marshall, Probate Judge of said County, adv. 12-5, 12-19

CEDARVILLE

Messrs. Arthur Hopping and Harry Wright who are at Antioch in the S. A. T. C. spent Thanksgiving day with relatives.

About twenty-five from here attended the great war play "Hearts of the World," in Dayton, Saturday.

Misses Helen Oglesbee and Irene Wright who spent the Thanksgiving vacation here with their parents returned to Ansonia, Sabbath evening.

The W. M. S. of the Reformed Presbyterian church held a very interesting meeting Monday afternoon in the church parlors. The society has decided to follow their former custom and give a scholarship to Cedarville college again this year.

Mr. W. L. Clemens is remodeling the building where Mr. Earl Richards has his drug store and when completed it will be one of the finer business rooms in Cedarville.

Mr. W. W. Trout was in Columbus Tuesday on business.

At Mixed.

Mrs. Mix—"There was a time when you minded what I said, but now it's like water on a duck's back—in at one ear and out at the other."—London Answers.

DAYTON MARKETS

Oats—70c per bushel.
Rye—\$1.45 per bushel.
Wheat—\$2.13 per bushel.
Corn—\$1.70 per cwt.

HOGS.

Choice heavies \$17.25
Select butchers and packers \$17.25
Heavy Yorkers \$17.25
Light Yorkers \$14.00@15.00
Choice fat sows \$14.00@14.50
Common to fair sows \$13.50@14.00
Stags \$15.00@12.00

CATTLE.

Fair heifers \$7.00@8.00
Bologna cows \$5.00@6.50
Good to choice heifers \$10.00@12.00
Calves \$12.00@16.00
Fair to medium butchers \$10.00@12.00
Choice fat cows \$8.00@10.00
Bologna heifers \$8.00@10.00
Fair to good shippers \$13.00@15.00
Good to choice butchers \$12.00@14.00

XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

New corn per bushel \$1.25
Corn, per bushel \$1.25
Oats, per bushel65c
Wheat per bushel \$2.12
Rye, per bushel \$1.45
Baled Timothy Hay \$25.00
Mixed Hay \$24.00
Clover Hay \$18.00
Clover Seed \$14.00
Straw \$7.00
Eggs, retail 62c
Eggs, wholesale 57c
Butter, retail 70c
Oleomargarine, retail 40c
Oleomargarine, wholesale 34c
Spring chickens, wholesale \$1.00
Spring chickens, retail 25c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St John.

HOGS

Hogs, 200 lbs up \$16.25
Light hogs \$15.50@16.00
Sows \$14.00

CATTLE

Stags \$12.00
Good heifers \$7.00@7.50
Shipping steers \$9.00@10.00
Cows \$5.00@6.50
Bologna cows \$4.50@5.50
Veal calves \$14.00
Lambs \$12.00
Sheep \$8.00

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Muller Bros and Peterson.

HOGS

Hogs \$16.50
Sows \$15.00
Stags \$12.00

CATTLE

Shipping steers \$9.00@10.00
Butcher steers & heifers \$7.00@8.00
Cows, fat \$5.00@6.50
Bologna cows \$4.00@5.00
Veal calves \$14.00@15.00
Spring lambs \$15.00
Sheep \$4.00@8.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Lambs \$12.00@14.00
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FOR SALE

11-2 Ton Stewart Truck

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A Store for Dad and the Boys

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GUY HART FORMER XENIAN DIES AT HIS HOME IN CINCINNATI

It will be quite a shock to the many friends of Guy Hart, 30, former Xenia boy, to learn of his death at his home in Cincinnati, Monday, December 2.

He was for many years employed at the Xenia Shoe Manufacturing Co. His death followed a very brief illness of influenza and pneumonia.

His mother, Mrs. T. Harry Hart, died just a month ago from pneumonia.

He is survived by a wife and three small children. His father and two brothers, Jacob and Frank, and one sister, Mrs. Anna Annis, also survive.

Burial was made at Spring Grove cemetery, in Cincinnati.

Furniture Gifts

to fill the CHRISTMAS STOCKING

What Shall It Be?

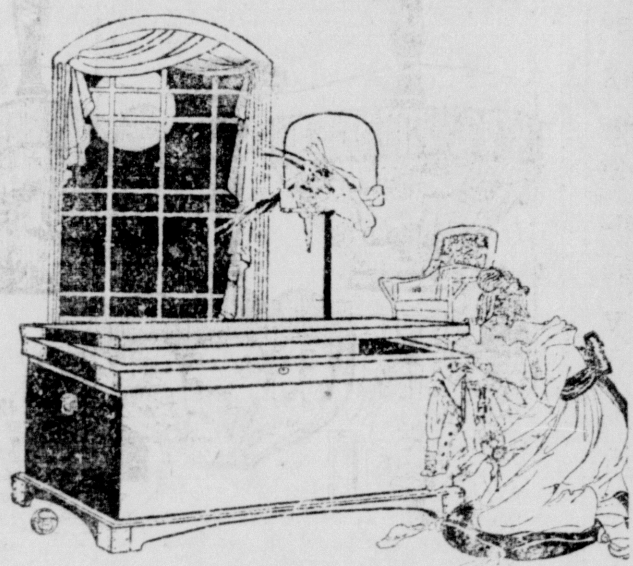
Here's the Answer

Be individual in your giving. A common, routine, ordinary gift lacks that sincerity and heartiness which is so appreciated in the gift that's "different." This does not mean you must give that which is expensive. On the contrary, you could find no other way to make your gift money go farther than in selecting furniture.

Whether you are looking for a large gift or a small remembrance, you will find in this large and varied display just what you are after at just the price you wish to pay. Any article you select now will be delivered at the time you desire.

Why Not a Cedar Chest?

\$18⁷⁵



There are few things that a woman takes greater pride in than the arrangement of her apparel. That's why a cedar chest is such a favorite gift at Christmas time. The one shown is a dandy.

Something He Wants

MAHOGANY
\$ 1.89
SMOKER

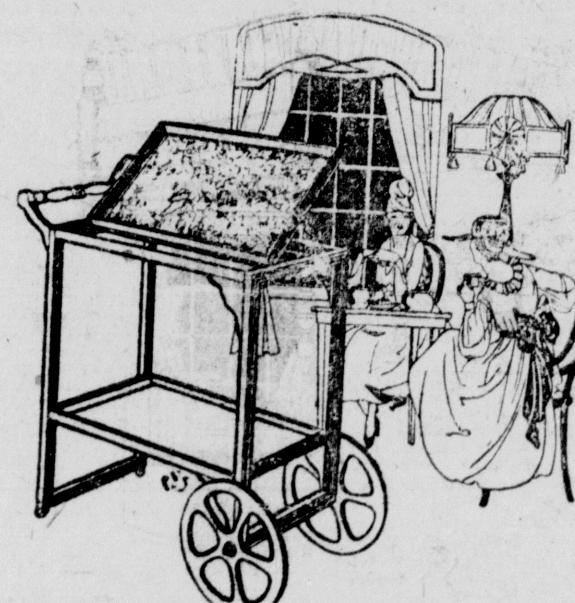


MAHOGANY
\$ 1.89
SMOKER

For an inexpensive and pleasing gift you could decide on nothing more appropriate for him. This is a very attractive and serviceable model.

Fashionable Tea Wagon

\$12⁰⁰



To place this popular gift within the reach of all, we bought tea carts in enormous quantities, and are offering them at very unusual prices. Note the removable serving top, the large artillery wheels and general grace of design.

DISTINCTIVE LAMPS



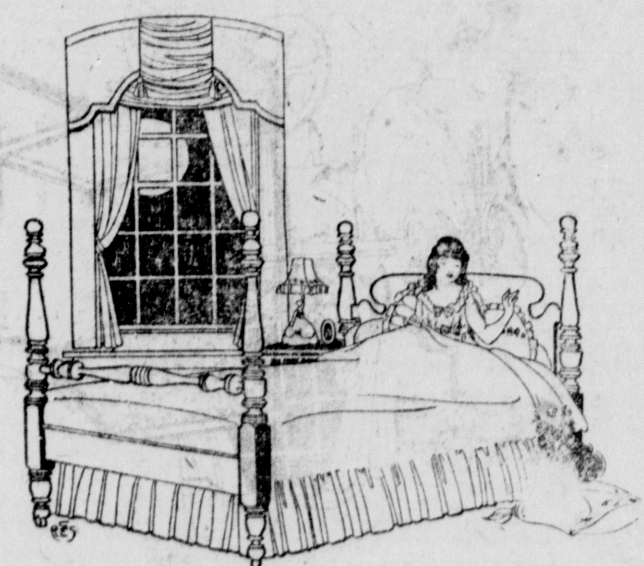
\$10.00

A table lamp is one of the most charming and most highly appreciated gifts. These have artistically decorated mahogany bases, and elegantly patterned silk shades. You will find an unusually wide assortment of designs to choose from.

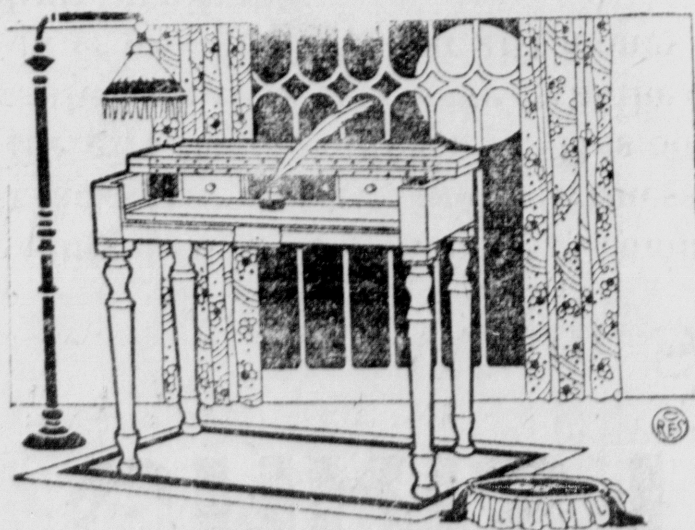
SOMETHING UNIQUE

\$27.00

Have you ever thought of how well a pretty bed might be appreciated? This popular four poster model is a new creation and is probably the daintiest of its kind ever produced. Here is a practical gift at a moderate price in solid walnut.

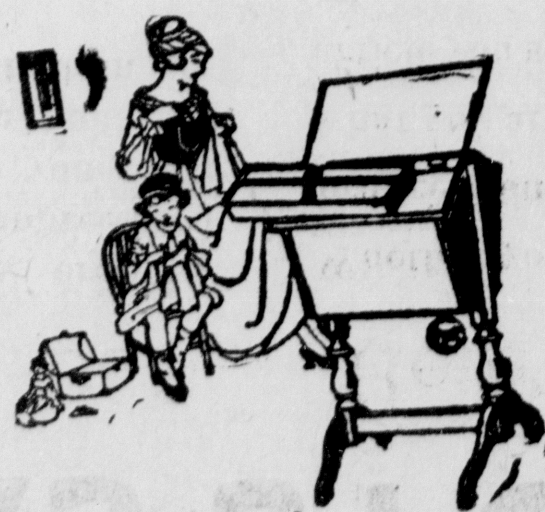


Christinas **\$27⁰⁰** Favorite



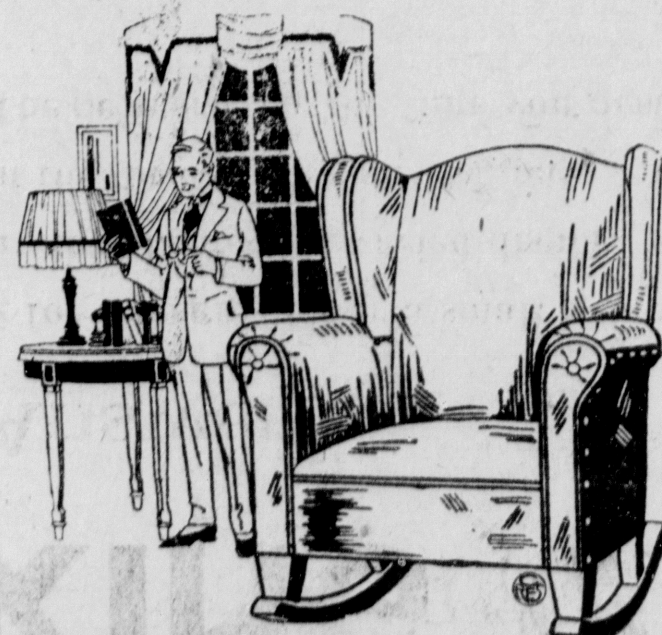
This is distinctly a "quality" gift. Every home longs for a spinet desk, and the gracefulness of construction and richness of finish make this elegant mahogany model especially charming. Come and see for yourself what a fine gift it will make.

Sewing **\$7.50** Table



Another leader. This "Priscilla" model is our biggest seller. It possesses many features not found in other sewing tables, and its graceful proportions make it remarkably attractive.

\$25⁰⁰ Father, Husband, Home



Here is a gift that will show your sincere interest in the comfort and contentment for whom you buy it. One of the most comfortable and well appearing rockers made. Spanish leather upholstery and mahogany frame. Come and see our large assortment of rocker values, in a wide variety of designs. See our line of wood and fibre rockers. Largest in the city.

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